IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s):	Cavanaugh *et al.*
Assignee:	Obsidian Software, Inc.
Application Serial No.:	09/710057
Patent No.:	6871298
Issue Date:	March 22, 2005
Confirmation No.:	4116
Title:	***Method and Apparatus That Simulates the Execution of Parallel Instructions in Processor Functional Verification Testing***

ENTITY STATUS CHANGE

MAIL STOP: MAINTENANCE FEE
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

For purposes of the eight-year maintenance fee payment, Assignee no longer claims small entity status.

If there are questions regarding the above or this matter that may be cleared up in a telephone conversation, please contact the undersigned at 512.236.2013.

Respectfully submitted,

JACKSON WALKER L.L.P.
Representative for Assignee

Raman N. Dewan
Registration No. 38,787

6172446v.1